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### Nondescript Fevers.

There is a short-lived type of fever, sometimes called ephemeral fever, which, when it develops in a member of a family, may cause great anxiety for a time, for fear it may be the beginning of an infectious disorder. It may last for only a few hours, or it may persist for a day or two.

It generally begins abruptly and runs from one hundred and one to one hundred and three degrees, or even higher, and is accompanied by a feeling of indisposition, with loss of appetite, a coated tongue, sometimes, especially in the case of young children, slight delirium at night, and very often an outbreak of cold-sores on the lips. Just as those in charge of the case have about made up their minds that the patient is in for a long, serious illness, the symptoms suddenly subside, the temperature goes back to normal, and after a few days of convalescence, all is well again. In some cases the fever ends by a crisis is accompanied by a profuse sweating.

Such an illness as has been described may be brought about in a variety of ways. In some cases, especially in children, it may be caused by an attack of acute dyspepsia, the fever being due to the absorption of poisonous matters, or ptomaines, which were present in the food when eaten, or others which may be formed during digestion. Exposure to the sun may result in a short, feverish illness, as may also long and violent muscular exertion, such as rowing or tennis playing in one unaccustomed to the exercise.

Many persons who lead sedentary lives make the mistake of filling a brief vacation with violent exercise, with the idea that they thus strengthen themselves, only to find that the resulting feverish exhaustion sends them back to work more tired than when they started.

Many persons on first going to live in tropical countries are attacked by ephemeral fevers, probably caused by the changed conditions of life, and partly by careless exposure.

There are also abortive infections. The children of a family will come down with scarlet fever. One child will be seen to have a fever, but will not develop the characteristic rash, and after a few days of feeling rather ill, will recover, but without having earned the immunity which the real disease confers.

It is impossible to diagnose these fevers at the start; they must be carefully watched, and the absence of characteristic eruptions, and their rapid course, must establish the diagnosis. While the fever lasts the patient should be kept in bed on a very light diet, and after it has broken there should be a few days of rest and convalescence before duties are resumed.

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To be at peace with your neighbors often means war with yourself.

Occasionally a woman has a faint suspicion that she is going to swoon.

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The pessimist never hopes for the best for fear it will prove to be counterfeit.

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**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1911.**  
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An Atlanta negro was jailed for cutting a wart off the hind leg of a mule. O, how could he do it! But he did, and should have been given a hero medal instead of jailed.

The experience of that insane woman in Missouri in whose stomach was found by the surgeons who conducted the post-mortem examination 1,446 nails, bolts, hairpins, and other metallic articles seems to prove conclusively that a diet of hardware is bound to lead to fatal results eventually.

An Ohio physician, who suspected that one of his patients had contracted tuberculosis from a pet cat, examined a hundred cats in the town and found germs of tuberculosis in every one. Thirty of them were seriously ill. It has long been known that cats carry the contagion of scarlet fever and measles in their fur. If it shall be established that they can communicate tuberculosis to human beings, their popularity will diminish in careful families.

OUR Congressman, Hon. R. Y. Thomas, has introduced a bill proposing that the government secure Mammoth Cave as a national park and calling for an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the purchase, beautifying and maintaining of same. The idea is favorably received in Congress as well as by the press and public, and while there is little likelihood that it will be reached this term, which is a short one, doubtless favorable action will be taken next term. Mr. Thomas is also preparing a bill which will offer the home and grounds of Jefferson Davis as a gift to the people. This, also, will doubtless receive favorable consideration, and Mr. Thomas is receiving much praise for his activities along these lines.

THE interrelations between the various organs and members of the body are sometimes so subtle that they escape the attention of anatomists for generations and then come up as sensational and important discoveries. A physician in London, Dr. William Martin Richards, has had occasion to observe a relation existing between the eyes and the voice and has recently made a statement of two cases that came under his treatment where actresses who had lost their voices completely recovered them when treated for defective eyes and fitted with proper glasses. He tells of one young woman in whose family eye diseases were hereditary, who found herself at the age of 22 losing her voice. Her eyes were found to be in need of attention and when she had been supplied with glasses she promptly recovered her singing voice. When she discarded the glasses some time later and her eyes were once more neglected her voice also relapsed into a husky state that precluded all singing. This practitioner has observed a number of similar cases and the discovery of the relation between the eyes and the voice should certainly be valuable to stage folks and others who depend largely upon their voices for their status in the world.

An ingenious way of lighting a tunnel has been devised by a Parisian inventor. Reflectors throw the light from many electric lamps sixteen feet above the rails to the sides of the tunnel, where it is again reflected by burnished tin, giving a soft and agreeable light. The trains automatically turn the current on and off when entering and leaving the tunnel.

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**Oil-Cement Concrete Roads.**  
The 1910 report of Secretary of Agriculture has recently been issued in which it is stated: "The Department of Agriculture has conducted important investigative work during the past year in the development of oil-cement concrete. Portland cement concrete is rapidly becoming a universal building material. It has been found during the laboratory investigations that it is possible to mingle mineral oils with concrete which is still wet and before it is laid or moulded in the forms, so that the material may be rendered absolutely water proof. Several pieces of road surface have already been improved by oil-cement concrete. In addition to this a bridge surface has been constructed of this material in New Jersey, and these experiments have up to this time proven satisfactory. Oil-cement concrete is now being given a practical application on a series of new vaults at the United States treasury. From the results already obtained, the experiments indicate that it would be practicable to use this material for floors, cellars, walls and other similar constructions."

Logan Waller Page, Director of the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Government, is the inventor of mixing oil and cement to form a dressing for macadam roads, in the development of which he has been experimenting for the past year. The idea suggested itself to Mr. Page that if oil and Portland cement could be made to mix thoroughly an important problem in road-making and water-proof building construction would be solved. The following account of the development of Mr. Page's idea is taken from the New York Times:

Experiments were started at once by the Bureau of Public Roads. Mr. Page threw a quantity of oil into some raw cement, worked it thoroughly and left it to set. In a short time it had hardened as thoroughly as ordinary concrete does. Tests of the small blocks showed it to be tough, durable and entirely impervious to moisture.

Then the experiment work began in earnest. Mr. Page was confident that if the new concrete showed the strength and endurance of ordinary concrete it would work a revolution in the building world. For while ordinary concrete absorbs water, dusts and chips off and disintegrates in some cases, the mixture of oil with the cement in place of water seems to remedy most of these troubles.

Tanks have been built of the new material, so thin that water would have spurted through the usual concrete wall; but the oil concrete shows no leakage after months of use. A short stretch of road has been built of the material in Washington. While automobile tires pull up the fine particles of a macadam road, they seem to have no effect on the new surface, and the material embraces the virtues of asphalt without its great cost.

The tests have been so thorough that a mixture of oil and cement is now being used to construct new vaults in the United States Treasury. It will probably be used for a short section of an important engineering work in New York next year. Experimental pieces of the substance, after six months of hard usage, have sustained a pressure of 2,400 pounds to the square inch before breaking. Cement manufacturers have been sending car loads of cement to Washington, and oil producers have furnished many barrels of oil for the conduct of the experiments.

This is the invention which Mr. Page has asked to have patented in the name of the people of the United States. It has reached a stage of development where its success seems assured, and it is apparently destined to take the place of ordinary forms of concrete in the more important building operations of the future. Royalties amounting to millions of dollars are within the reach of the inventor, had he cared to withdraw from the public service, carry on his experiments privately, and patent the process for his own use. But Mr. Page has become one of the "inventors for the common good," as they have come to be called.

**Stray Notice.**  
Taken up by W. A. Creek, living six miles south of Greenville, Ky., one red heifer about two years old, marked with smooth crop off of right ear and hole in left ear, valued by L. B. Allen at \$14.00. The said Creek states under oath that he has not changed or defaced any of the marks of the said heifer. 1931.  
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**Vital Statistics of Some Nations.**  
New Zealand has about the lowest death rate in the world. Ireland's death-rate is slightly lower than that of England and Wales. In 1902 there were two thousand four hundred and sixty-four deaths due to smallpox in England and Wales.

In six of the past nine years the deaths in France have exceeded the births.

No death from hydrophobia has been registered in England since 1902.

In England and Wales the birth-rate has been declining for many years.

On an average, there are about three thousand five hundred births weekly in Greater London. Nearly one-fifth of the deaths in England occur in public institutions. To every one thousand girls born in England and Wales in 1908 there were one thousand and thirty-six boys.

The birth-rate in England attained the highest point on record in 1876.

**City Tax Ordinance.**  
An Ordinance fixing the tax rate for municipal purposes in the City of Greenville for the year 1911.

The City Council of the City of Greenville do ordain as follows: That for all municipal purposes, for the year 1911, there shall be imposed, levied and collected in the City of Greenville a poll tax of \$1.50 from every male inhabitant of the age of 21 years and over, and a property tax of 75 cents on each \$100 worth of property in the City of Greenville.

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**CHEERFULNESS.**  
BY ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.  
(Robert Louis Stevenson was born in Edinburgh, Nov. 13, 1850, and died at Alassa, Samoa, Dec. 4, 1894. His novels and critical literary studies were many, and they are counted among the riches of the English language. In the light of his years of physical suffering and discouragement his poems of religious faith and cheer have a peculiar charm and permanency. Here is a good prayer for any day.)

If I have faltered more or less  
In my great task of happiness;  
If I have moved among my race  
And showed no glorious morning face;  
If beams from happy human eyes  
Have moved me not; if morning skies,  
Books, and my food, and summer rain  
Knocked on my sullen heart in vain—  
Lord, thy most potent pleasure take  
And stab my spirit broad awake;  
Or, Lord, if too obdurate I,  
Choose thou before that spirit die  
A piercing pain, a killing sin,  
And to my dead heart run them in.

Give us your job work.

Smallpox in the county again.

Watch out for the groundhog this morning.

All work guaranteed at Ford Bros.

Little prospect of good roads for some time now.

Seed men are now getting a rush of orders from this section.

Needles for all sewing machines at Roark's.

Mr. James Louis Roark is here this week, spending a short vacation at home.

The medicine man was here Monday, and had a large crowd and a good business.

See Miss Lena Arnold for bulbs of all sorts.

It has been several months since an auto has been seen on our streets, and then it was a visiting car.

Court crowd Monday was a large one, and many farmers delivering tobacco added to the visitors in town.

A full line of go-carts and baby carriages at Roark's.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam Howard will be at home in the John A. Williams residence, on north Main street, in a few days.

Ladies' work a specialty. Ford Bros.

Mr. John A. Williams disposed of his household goods at a public sale last Monday, and auctioneer Pittman secured fair prices for most items.

Call on Leslie Hale, next to First National Bank, for candies, books, sundries, cigars, tobacco, etc.

THE RECORD 50c. per year.

Good morning! Any new marriage rumors to report?

Eggs and butter have dropped off slightly in price, but the supply is still short.

Your patronage solicited by Ford Bros.

Horse jockies were very active here Monday, and the number of transfers was large.

The Y. M. C. A. basket ball team is getting in first-class condition, and in shape to win from almost any team.

See Coombs & Co. before you sell your beef hides.

O. L. Roark is in Chicago this week, visiting the furniture exposition and attending to other business affairs.

Bargain hunters have had plenty of exercise lately, as the Hummel fire sales have drawn immense crowds.

Try the new meat market at the depot.

This is groundhog day, and now we shall be able to tell what kind of weather we are to have for the next six weeks.

Hon. R. V. Thomas is introducing nation-attracting bills in Congress, and they will doubtless be enacted into laws.

Get wallpaper at Roark's at lower price than you have ever known.

Our people are wondering if we are to have another smallpox scourge throughout the county. It is hoped that the matter has been caught at the very start, and can be stamped out.

Farmers are beginning active campaigns for the season, and there is a continual growth in agricultural lines, many persons recognizing the independence and profit in farming.

Save your home by having your flues repaired. Barkley Bros. do this work in best manner.

The finishing touches are being placed on the W. A. Wickliffe residence, and it will be only a short time now until the family will be able to occupy its beautiful new home.

Tobacco deliveries have been very lively during the week, the wagons at times congesting the streets, and bringing up recollections of bygone days, when Greenville was a greater tobacco market than it is at present.

Telephone No 5 and your laundry will be called for and delivered.

Roads have been sloppy, but the mud is not deep, as it would have been if we had been subjected to extremely cold weather, followed by a thaw, this sort of thing always knocking the bottoms out of the highways.

Roark's furniture polish is somewhat better than the rest, and is sold considerably cheaper, and with the broadest guarantee—money back if not better than any you ever used.

## BIG COAL MINE DEAL REPORTED

Eastern Syndicate to Take Over Coal Mines in Muhlenberg, Hopkins, Ohio and McLean Counties.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS INVOLVED.

Reports have been in circulation recently that an eastern syndicate was to take over the largest coal mines in this county, Hopkins, Ohio and McLean. Messrs. W. D. McInerney and Sheiby Gish, of Central City, are representatives of the eastern men, and have secured options on about forty mines, about two dozen of them being in this county, and including practically all the developed fields. These options were secured some months ago, and run until the first of April. The proposed deal will involve some millions of dollars, and will be the largest ever carried through in the state—if it is closed. There is not much probability of such a thing being done, in the opinion of some well-informed men in the coal business, but at the same time it is conceded that it is probably only a question of a few years until the coal in this section will be in the hands of a syndicate. However, at this time it is not thought that conditions are favorable for so vast an undertaking.

### Smallpox in County.

County health officer Dr. T. J. Slaton had reported to him the latter part of the week what was thought to be some cases of smallpox, and on investigation he declared the ailment was smallpox. There are only two cases, among a camp of men from Hopkins county who are getting out railroad ties near Unity church. The disease is in very light form, and all precaution is being taken to confine the trouble.

# Wallpaper in stock must be closed for 1911 goods

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Sheriff Roll offered several hundred tracts of land for sale for taxes at the court house door Monday afternoon. There were comparatively few bidders, and most of the land was bought in by the sheriff for the benefit of the state.

Hot drinks of all sorts now at Hale's fountain.

Mr. W. H. Gray will go to Madisonville tomorrow, where at night he will serve as one of five judges in a debate between three young ladies of the high school of that city and a like number of girls from Paducah. The debate has attracted much attention, and the attendance will doubtless be large. Prof. Ralph B. Rubens, principal, requested Mr. Gray to serve.

Have Barkley Bros. repair your flues, and prevent a fire loss.

Lena Morrow Lewis, a national Socialist speaker and organizer, delivered two addresses here in the court house last Monday, at 1:30 and 7:30 p. m., and was greeted by large audiences at each. She is a fluent, logical speaker, and has a well-connected argument, free of incendiary ideas. She has been at the work for many years, has traveled all over the country, and her keen observation has made impressions that she reproduces effectively. Frequently she was applauded, and a substantial free offering was secured.

You are invited to inspect the most complete kitchen cabinet on the market. Roark.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Last Sunday Mr. C. W. Taylor led the meeting. The subject of Counting the Cost, was presented in an admirable manner, and all present declared it a very interesting and instructive meeting. The subject for next Sunday will be The Raising of Lazarus. Do not fail to attend this meeting or you may miss the very man you wanted to hear speak. An interesting meeting is assured and a fine speaker has been secured. All men and boys are very cordially invited to be present, and if the men do not be careful the boys will be in the majority.

On last Friday night when the Earlinton and Greenville boys played basket ball the seats were all taken and the standing room was crowded to overflowing, and the back windows were not forgotten. There were about 150 people who witnessed the game, and it proved to be an interesting one, and the cry is, more room, for spectators. The victory went to the Greenville team in a score of 38 to 13. The line up was as follows:

EARLINGTON.	GREENVILLE.
Draper	r. f. Pannell
Featherston	l. f. Middleton
Curtis	c. Summer
Dudley	r. g. Puryear
Sharn	l. g. Smith

On next Friday night the Juniors will have their game and contests. The Owls and Buzzards will play.

The Boy Scouts are reminded that the class in first aid will meet at the association building on Monday night at 7 o'clock. Last Monday night two more boys took the Tenderfoot examination.

Mr. T. C. Baird has been given the agency for the Boy Scout uniforms in this place. Any scout can get an order from Scout-master Anderson for his uniform.

On next Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock the board of directors will hold their regular monthly meeting. There is a committee of ladies who

## Haden-Kirkpatrick Wedding.

A surprise wedding was that of Miss Lucy Haden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haden, of Drakesboro, and Mr. Carlisle Kirkpatrick, of this city. Some weeks ago the announcement was made of the engagement, and it was understood that the wedding was to occur on February 1. On the supposition that this date was correct, the many friends of the couple had arranged several items of entertainment in their honor. But the desire of the principals was for a quiet wedding, and so they were married by Rev. G. B. McDonald at his home at 9 o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, January 24, just a few friends being present. And the secret was well kept, as the bride and groom left at midnight Tuesday on their honeymoon trip, and few people knew until afterward that the wedding had been a week before. They are in New Orleans, and may go over to Cuba for a few days, being away some two weeks, when they will return to their home here. Both are popular and well known, and in this important step they have the best wishes of many friends here and elsewhere.

## Burr Grist Mill.

My new burr grist mill is in operation; call on your merchants for White Flint meal. Also ready to furnish the public with chicken feed and chopped corn.

## Hopkinsville Tobacco Market.

The feature of the business of last week on the Hopkinsville tobacco market was the high record set on Thursday of \$15.25 per hundred pounds for loose tobacco. This is the highest point reached this season on any market in the dark tobacco district by \$22.25, and the equal of the record of last year. This tobacco was grown in North Christian. The crop was divided into two grades, and the next grade brought \$14.75. Owing to the favorable weather offerings on the loose floors were again heavy, amounting to at least 500,000 pounds. In the sales made prices ranged; Trash, \$4.00 to \$5.00; lugs, \$5.50 to \$8.50; leaf, \$7.00 to \$15.25. All of the rehandling houses and stemming houses and packers of all classes are now working with full force, and on full time, and the output of prized tobacco is nearly up to the capacity of the houses.

## Ford Bros. are in business to stay. Take them your work.

Mrs. F. K. Jamison and charming daughter, Miss Eula, were delightful visitors of the interesting family of Judge R. O. Pace this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Rogers, of Lexington, and Mr. Fen Rogers and son, Len, of Pineville, were here the first of the week on a short visit to the family of Mr. J. L. Rogers.

No matter what you want in baby carriages or carts, you can find it in the large stock on display at Roark's.

Judge J. C. Jonson left Tuesday afternoon for Dade City, Fla., where he will spend some weeks on a visit to the family of Mr. G. T. Ayer. Other points in the alligator state will also be visited, and he expects to have a fine time.

Mr. J. H. Hayes announces the approaching marriage of his daughter, Miss Gueveve, to Mr. Rufus Rose, of Cleaton. The bride-to-be is one of our most estimable young ladies, popular and accomplished, and the groom is one of the well known business men of his section. Many friends extend the most sincere good wishes.

If you have not heard the Victor talking machines, call at Roark's. If you have heard them, call again and often; they never grow tiresome. Large library of records and all kinds of talking machine supplies.

Mr. J. H. Pittman and wife went to Louisville yesterday afternoon, taking their daughter, Lea Carr, to a specialist for examination and treatment. For some time she has been a sufferer from heart trouble, and her condition has not improved. Dr. H. Y. Slaton accompanied the patient.

Roark has the largest line of chamber suites ever shown on this market, ranging from cheapest to high grades.



## THERE'S ONLY ONE LIGHT

these days after all. You may put up with old lights and try to say they are good enough, but in your heart you envy those who enjoy the electric light. The invention of the Tungsten lamp has greatly reduced the cost of electric light. Let us tell you how little you can have it in your house for.

## Greenville Light & Water Co.

Office Hours: 7:30 to 8 a. m.  
11 to 12 a. m.  
1 to 1:30 p. m.  
Phone No. 251. 4 to 5 p. m.

## To Revive Commercial Club.

There is a movement to revive the Commercial Club, which for some time has been in a state of inactivity. There are several important things needed to be done here, and only in concerted movement can they be accomplished. Every business and professional man, workman, property owner and even retired business men should be interested in the betterment of the city, and should lend their support to the club.

## NOTICE!

All parties who are indebted to the firm of R. Martin & Co. are earnestly requested to call and make full settlements as soon as possible, as we are compelled to collect all outstanding debts in order to make settlement with the R. Martin estate.

## R. MARTIN & CO.

## Stemmers Strike Settled.

The stemmers at the leaf house of Martin, Puryear & Co., who have the contract for handling the tobacco purchase of Mr. John H. Hodge, have been on strike for some days, demanding an increase of wages. The matter was settled by an increase of 5 cents on the 100 pounds of lugs, and all hands returned to work yesterday morning. This is the first strike here in some years, and was a quiet affair, attracting little attention.

## The Daily Courier-Journal at One Half Price.

Through a special arrangement, this paper is enabled to offer the Daily Courier-Journal by mail, in combination, at a price just one half the regular rates for the Courier-Journal. The regular price of the Daily Courier-Journal is 50 cents a month, \$6.00 a year. See the clubbing proposition in our advertising columns, and read about the bargain. This special offer is good only for subscription orders given us during the month of February. The offer will be withdrawn the last day of the month, and no orders can be taken after that.

Under this offer, Courier Journal will be sent to subscribers only through the post-office, not through Courier-Journal agent. No Courier-Journal orders for a full year will be taken at this rate. Subscription must be for not less than four months or longer than eight months.

The Tariff question in Congress and Mr. Watterson's letters from Europe will make the Courier-Journal especially interesting for the next few months.

Jack Thomas, a horse jockey, traded horses here Monday, and had the misfortune to get hold of one that was on his last leg. Thomas got \$1.50 to boot, but when he tried to get home his horse gave out just below the crossing on the Central City road, and fell in the

ditch. Thomas took the harness off and rolled the buggy to one side, and worked with the horse for some time, but failed to get him up. Tuesday the horse was knocked in the head and hauled off.

Yesterday was a regular May day.

Roark has Victrolas again, orders placed six weeks ago at last being filled by the factory, which has been overrun with orders since long before Christmas.

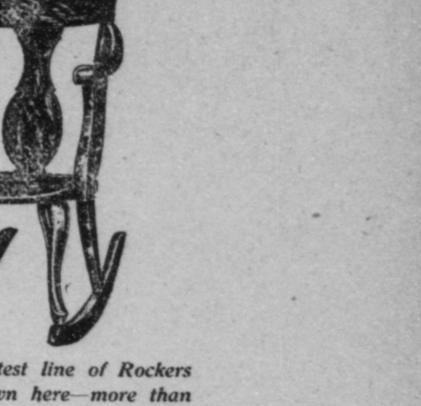
## Bloodless Shooting Scrape.

On Cherry street near the colored Baptist church about 10 o'clock last Monday night there was some excitement created by a one-sided shooting scrape, Will Elliott shooting nine times at Aubrey Mathis, both colored boys. None of the shots took effect. Elliott was arrested, and his examining trial is set for today. It is reported that the trouble came up over a woman.

## Bulbs of all Kinds in Stock.

Miss Lena Arnold has in stock all kinds of bulbs, and now is the time to begin the cultivation. Following are ready for delivery, and orders taken for others, and prompt delivery guaranteed: Chinese Sacred Lillies, 10c each, 3 for 25; Paper White Narcissus, Grandiflora, 2 for 5c, 30c doz; Roman Hyacinths, Single White, 5c each, 50c doz; Bedding Hyacinths, Dutch, 5c each, 60c doz; Forcing Dutch Hyacinths, 10c each, \$1.00 doz; Tulips, mixed, 20c doz.

Mrs. C. M. Martin is in Louisville for a few days on a shopping tour.



We have the greatest line of Rockers and Chairs ever shown here—more than 65 patterns. Full line fine Diners, Office Chairs, Children's goods, etc.

The J. L. ROARK ESTATE.

Mary, the wife of uncle Lindsey Elliott, colored, is in serious condition at her home near the A. M. E. Zion church. For some months she has been confined to her room, and her condition is not improving.

For sale—Square piano, in Greenville. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Vomberg, telephone No. 216-2 Central City, Ky.

The Tate & Green planing mill has been enlarged and covered top and sides with new galvanized iron, and the improvement is quite a valuable one.

A Bissell carpet sweeper will last longer than 40 corn brooms, costing from \$12 to \$15; the sweepers cost \$3 to \$5.75. See them at Roark's, and have other advantages than the money-saving features explained.



## ROARK—Furniture, Wallpaper, Shades, Moldings.

Undertaker's Goods: Coffins, Caskets, Robes, Wrappers, Slippers, Grave Vaults. Disinfection—ROARK

### GOOD EARTH ROADS.

Cheaper Than Other Highways  
and Easy to Build.

#### GOOD DRAINAGE A NECESSITY

It is One of the Principal Points in Making a Good Dirt Roadway—They Are Preferred in Many Sections of the United States.

Long ago I became convinced that if we were to have good roads in our day and generation we must seek some other methods of doing the work and some other material than macadam. For while stone roads have and perhaps always will have an adaptation for certain districts on account of the lack of facilities for good drainage, which is one of the principal points in the construction of earth roads, or where the character of the soil is such that good earth roads cannot be made or for thoroughfares where the travel is great and the valuation high enough to stand the taxation, the expense is far too great to make them practicable for even a small proportion of all the roads.

It must be remembered that no matter how good a stone road is constructed there is a certain amount of wear and tear each day and month and year.



From Good Roads Magazine, New York.  
A TYPICAL RURAL EARTH ROAD.

The amount of this wear has been found by experience to be from one-fourth to one-half inch a year.

Others have figured it at only two-thirds of a cubic yard per year.

We also have the experience of city street making. With all of their great valuation to tax cities have found it burdensome to keep up good paved or macadamized streets.

Mind, I am not speaking against macadamized roads. They are, so far as our knowledge of roadmaking now goes, the one thing for thoroughfares or other places where the valuation will afford them without burdensome taxation. And many of such places throughout the United States prefer the well built dirt road. What we want is good roads now, and the question is how to make them with what money is available, and I think it is the wrong policy for a township that has only from \$2,000 to \$10,000 a year to spend on roads to lay it all out on a mile or two of stone road when by the right methods good earth roads could be kept up over the whole township with the same money or less.

The solution of this, I am convinced, is in learning how to make earth roads. I believe that by proper methods of roadmaking the earth roads, especially in places where the nature of the soil and the facilities for good drainage are favorable, can be made and kept as good as or better on the average than the stone road and at but a fraction of the cost.

The nature of the soil and the facilities for drainage are so varied that it is impossible to lay down any one rule or method of roadmaking. At some places nothing but macadam will do, but there are many, many other places where the earth roads can be made equally good. In fact, in places where the soil is just right—that is, porous enough to let the water through and yet tenacious enough to pack and not become dusty—and the drainage naturally good, the earth road is the very best that can be made. And most soils will in a large degree take on the qualities necessary for good roadmaking after good drainage is effected.—J. G. Holsinger in Good Roads Advocate.

#### Secretary Knox For Good Roads.

Secretary Knox believes that the congestion of population in great cities is caused in large part by the lack of good roads in this country. He told the house committee on foreign affairs that the reason France is the richest agricultural country in the world is because she has had good roads so long. He said: "The agricultural population of France does not have to spend its money in repairing vehicles and their harness every winter. I think it has improved the attractiveness of rural life. I think it has caused the population to remain on the soil more than in any other country. You do not find that tendency to urban population in France and England that you do in this country."

#### Use of a Drag on Gravelly Roads.

In soils full of loose stones or even small boulders the drag has done good service. The loose stones are drawn into a windrow down the center of the road, while the earth is deposited around the boulders in such a way that the surface is leveled. The loose stones in the center of the road should of course be removed. Where there is a large proportion of small stones or gravel the drag will keep down the inequalities in the surface.

### Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

#### PERT PARAGRAPHS.

If duties were only of the present then we might shirk them and be blithesome tomorrow; but, alas and alas, the bill collector comes as surely as another day dawns.

Taking care of yourself is a profit sharing enterprise.

Opportunity doesn't sit at the crossroads very long waiting for some one to put his hand on her.

He is not brave who won't be fair.

How truly vexing it is that the most satisfying things often rank among the impolite things of life.

#### LOAN OFFICE

The man who replied in a few well chosen remarks probably felt that his remarks had long had the stamp of approval.

The only man somebody can't make a fool of is a natural idiot.

One way to attract attention is to make a noise like a national bank.

There are persons who do things as a matter of principle, while others equally earnest do the same things as a matter of interest.

Waxing eloquent upon a subject he knows nothing about certainly gives a man a chance for victory, as he has nothing to check his imagination.

As of Yore.  
This is indeed a world of change. Our ways are ever new. We do not do things in the way our fathers used to do. Where they were placid and serene we bustle, rush and shove. There's only one thing hasn't changed, and that is making love.

We do not know the way they did; we reap another way. Their methods would be mighty slow to fit our needs today. But when it comes to making love, though we perhaps may smile, we couldn't give them any points; they had the thing down fine.

The women dress in different style. Their hats would make a swear. About a dozen of the kind. Our mothers used to wear. But, though they dress in Paris gowns and latest styles display. They must be woeed if they are woe in much the same old way.

'Tis good to know that in this age, with old things cast aside, some standard things are left to us that surely will abide. Because no newer way is found we will not sit and grieve. But turn them in the same old way that Adam courted Eve.

The Reason.  
"I don't like Brown."  
"Don't you? Why not?"  
"He has loaned me a lot of money."  
"Well, I should think that would make you feel grateful to him."  
"But now he wants it back the worst way—in fact, makes me miserable by insisting upon it."  
"Can you blame him for that?"  
"Not at all, but there is the point. He loaned me money to get me in debt, but now I can't get him to loan me the money to get me out."

Knocking the Profit.  
"What is the landlady crying about?"  
"Another of her schemes has gone wrong."

"What is it this time?"  
"She went to all the expense of getting some rubber prunes, thinking they would last all winter, and Greedy had eaten them all up."

Immaterial.  
"I love you more than words can tell," said the impecunious duke.  
"Are you sure you do not love me only for my money?" asked the beautiful young heiress.  
"I am certain of it, darling. How much have you got?"

The Difference.  
"Is she in love with him?"  
"No."  
"Why does she act so queer about it, then?"  
"She is simply mad because he isn't in love with her."

What He Missed.  
"Yes, they buried him in an automobile."  
"Poor man! How he would have enjoyed it! Sure, it was the first automobile ride he ever had in his life!"

A Cinch.  
"How does he earn his living?"  
"He doesn't earn it."  
"What?"  
"No; his wife's a milliner."

Naturally.  
Her love grew cold? Why should it not? She talked all out of breath. He wouldn't buy the coat for her. The pony coat of silver fur—Her love just froze to death.

Was a Reason.  
"I notice she is still single."  
"She is married to her art."  
"Refuses to give it up?"  
"No one asked her to."

### "Cherry-Blossom."

THE JAPANESE GIVE GOOD EXAMPLE.

It is a proverb of Cherry Blossom Land that a healthy stomach is the basis of all strength. Good nature is also recognized as of great importance. The Japanese as a people are remarkable for their health, endurance, patience and skill.

The cherry tree is the most highly prized of all in Japan. It not only gives forth a beautiful blossom but the wild cherry tree furnishes a bark which is most highly prized in medicine.

WED Cherry (Fraxinus Virginiana).

The UNITED STATES DISPENSARY, which is an authority on medicines, says of the properties of this black Cherrybark: "Uniting with a tonic power the property of calming irritation and diminishing nervous excitability. Adapted to the treatment of diseases in which there is debility of the stomach or of the system." Another authority, KING'S AMERICAN DISPENSARY says, "It gives tone and strength to the system, useful in fever, cough, and found excellent in consumption." This ingredient is only one of several very important native medicinal roots in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This is a remedy which has enjoyed the public approval for nearly forty years, nothing new or untried about it, has cured thousands of people of those chronic, weakening diseases which are accompanied by a cough, such as bronchitis and incipient consumption. More than that, by reason of the other ingredients, Bloodroot, Mandrake, Golden Seal, and Queen's root, all of the medicinal virtues of which are scientifically extracted and combined in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, remarkable cures of dyspepsia and stomach disorders have been accomplished.

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